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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph in the application at page 1, lines 5-12 with the following paragraph:

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The subject matter disclosed herein is related to the subject matter disclosed in copending application Serial No. ___ (attorney docket BELL-0074/00350) Serial No. ___ (9/822,912, filed on even date herewith March 30, 2001, entitled "Battery Capacity Indicator in a Portable Computing Device," the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference. The subject matter disclosed herein is also related to the subject matter disclosed in copending application Serial No. ___ (attorney docket BELL-0075/00351) Serial No. ___ (op/822,905, filed on even date herewith March 30, 2001, entitled "Systems and Methods for Collecting BIOS Data from a Plurality of Remote Computing Devices," the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.